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COVINA HIGH'S EIGHTH ANNUAL COMMENCEMENT.

**Class of Nine Young People Received Diplomas at Club House Last Night.
Robert Burdette Makes Graduating Address.**

The graduating exercises of the Class of 1907 were held in the Womans Club House, beautifully decorated by a committee of the students. Crimson and white baskets filled with the same colored flowers, representing the school colors, being hung around the proscenium, festooned with sprays of asparagus plumosus, and on either side of the stage were black lanterns showing an illuminated gold "1907", and representing the class colors.

After an overture, "Lustspiel" by the orchestra, the class marched in to the tune of the Nibelungen March. Then followed the invocation by the Rev. W. G. Conley and a selection by the orchestra, "Mexican Dance".

Dr. Robert Burdette, the celebrated humorist-divine, then gave an address to the students and their friends, entitled "The Rainbow Chaser." Dr. Burdette said in part:

"Let us be rainbow chasers, though we retire with nothing but shadows and dreams. All great men were dreamers. The rainbow, being in the sky, is typical of high ideals. We were not born to make money; any one can do that by stooping; gold is in the ground and is only good to make Senators. Nor were we born to be happy; happiness comes to those who don't care whether they are happy or not. The Greeks called man 'The Uplifted Eye.' The rainbow is the symbol of hope, and when all else fails us, hope is still left. Beyond

the rainbow is God."

Following this was a selection by the orchestra from "Robin Hood," after which Principal A. Harvey Collins presented the class to the President of the Board of Trustees, Mr. J. H. Coolman, who spoke a few words and conferred the diplomas upon the successful students.

Mr. Collins spoke briefly referring to the need of more room and expressing the hope that the bonds would be voted for on July 1st.

The class then stepped forward and sang their song, "Class of 1907."

Many beautiful flowers were presented to the graduates during the music.

The proceedings closed with a march "King Quality" by the orchestra.



CLASS OF 1907

I. Halla Willets
II. Robin Graham
III. Bessie Shipway

IV. Raymond Crouse
V. Ennis Utter
VI. Wallace Reed

VII. Jessie Kistler
VIII. Virgil Utter
IX. Alice Hepner

Junior Reception to Seniors.

One of the most charming events of commencement week was the annual Junior reception to the Seniors, which was held in Reed's Hall on Monday evening. The hall was charmingly decorated with the class colors, yellow and black and a sumptuous banquet was served by the ladies of the Presbyterian Church. The place cards were decorated with hand painted pansies, the class flower. At the close of the banquet the following toasts were responded to:

I. Our President . . . Mr. Coolman

II. C. H. S. and Her Faculty . . . Miss Griswold

Vocal Solo . . . Miss Fletcher

III. The Graduating Class . . . Mr. Graham

IV. Our Other Guests . . . Mrs. Reed

Baccalaureate.

On Sunday evening June 16, the baccalaureate sermon was preached by the Rev. H. W. White, to a large crowd in the Christian church, many

being turned away for want of room. Choruses were sung by the choir, a duet by Minter Stan'on and Miss Addie Kellar and a solo by E. Sproutte.

Mr. White chose as his texts, I Cor. 14:20 "In understanding be men" and Mark 8:36 "What shall it profit a man if he gain the whole world and lose his own soul". He gave an able address illustrated by pithy stories, speaking of knowledge as power, and pleading with the graduates to get all available knowledge and use it as St. Paul and Moses did, and to take time in these hurrying days to remember Christ in all things.

MEETING OF STUDENT BODY.

On Tuesday afternoon the annual meeting of the Student body was held. The following officers were elected for the coming year: Pres. Gladys Ratekin, Vice-pres. Hoyt Lelaure, Secy and treas. Bessie Utter, Business Manager of Cardinal, Harry Nell.

CLASS DAY EXERCISES.

On Wednesday evening the Class Day exercises were conducted before a large crowd in High School auditor-

ium by a graduating class of nine intelligent and particularly handsome young people, Jessie Kistler, Bessie Shipway, Alice Hepner, Halla Willets, Virgil and Ennis Utter, Ray Crouse, Wallace Reed and Robin Graham.

Every member was replete with wit and intelligence. Robin Graham presided, Alice Hepner read the Roll Call, each member responding with a motto "Josh" on one of the Juniors.

The splendid class history was read by Wallace Reed; Class Poem by Bessie Shipway; Prophecy by Robin Graham. The class next tied the Junior class colors on their feet and sang a song roasting the Juniors with a fine cake-walk accompaniment. This was greeted with a shower of lemons from the insulted class.

The Class play was a fine imitation of one of the old English Moral or Miracle plays which antedated Shakespear.

Mr. Collins (H. Near) asks the help of Flunka (V. Utter) to scare Senator (J. Kistler) into better work. She is

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Do we Need a New High School?

Editor of the Covina Argus—

Dear Sir:—At the recent mass meeting I was asked to set forth the needs of a new high school building. Many times since the question has been asked of me.

Supposing that every patron and taxpayer of the district is interested in the answer of this question, I beg the use of your valuable columns to bring this before the people.

It has been truthfully said that bricks and mortar and courses of study do not make a school, but earnest young men and women and ideals.

It is also true that the education of twenty-five years ago was different from that of today, which needs a different equipment.

Then it was classical and theoretical; today it is scientific and practical. That which sufficed in the days of Garfield is inadequate today. The farmer of that period raised good crops by using the wooden mould-board plow and the brush harrow, but the agriculturist of today must have his disc plow and his spring-toothed harrow. So the school building of today must have more than four walls, chairs and a teacher's desk. Modern education also demands that there is sufficient room for efficient work.

In Covina we have, at the present time, a building containing four good recitation rooms, a physics laboratory, a commercial department, (the latter two are also used for recitation purposes), a library and an assembly room.

The chemical laboratory, which is at present in the basement of the grammar building, is poorly lighted, ill ventilated and antiquated in equipment. Moreover the plumbing is poor and the general condition such that it is difficult to do work which the universities will accept. An overhauling of the plumbing and equipment within the next two years will cost from \$200 to \$300 and the building of a new room and equipment, near the present high school, would cost from \$800 to \$1000.

The physical laboratory, with its various tables and the delicate apparatus, is not the most convenient nor the most economical place, on account of the danger of injury to the instruments, to hold recitations in other subjects. It has been necessary during the past year, and I believe before, to carry on the drawing in the commercial room. Here the suitable arrangement of models, which should be undisturbed for several days, and the right position of the student, with his easel, have been almost impossible on account of the high and broad tables used in the commercial department. Again, the commercial work is largely individual and the students in that work should be free to consult with the teacher at all times without disturbing another class at work.

It is planned to use the library for some of the recitations of the smaller classes next year and thus give the drawing the use of one of the recitation rooms. This again prevents the free use of the library by those in the study room while it is being used for class work.

The assembly and study room now has a seating capacity of ninety-one. By reseating with narrower aisles, seats may be arranged for 120 pupils, and we expect this number next year. Without additional room, what can we do for 1908-9, when we may reasonably expect an enrollment of 150 pupils?

The above is an enumeration of what we have, the bare necessities for existence as a high school, and the conditions as they are today, with no provision for the near future.

We have no typewriting room where the teacher can oversee the work, a necessary condition for efficient work. We have no rest room where teachers or pupils can be taken in case of sudden illness or accident. We have no lunch rooms, but the students in inclement weather must crowd around the furnace in the basement, stand in the hallways or use a recitation room, in all of which the air is vitiated or the surroundings unwholesome. We have no cloak room, but permit the boys and girls to hang their wraps around the hall ways or in the lavatories.

We have no gymnasium nor any facilities for physical culture, and yet we deem it essential to try to carry on this work. We have no laboratory for physical geography work, hence cannot offer a course in this subject, which many of our best high schools are now offering.

We need these facilities and conditions and the best is none too good for Covina.

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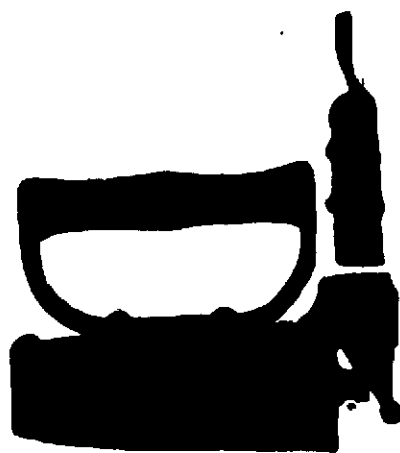
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CARDINAL ANNUAL

The annual Cardinal of Covina High School has just appeared. The accompanying picture shows the editors who have done the work well, and the mechanical work having been done in the Argus office, is all that need be said regarding its splendid mechanical appearance.

STAFF

- I. Jessie Kisler.
- II. Bessie Barker.
- III. Wallace Reed, Bus. Mgr.
- IV. Ennis Utter.
- V. Virgil Utter, Ed.-in-chief.
- VI. William Fisher.
- X. Galdys Ratekin.
- VII. Paul Cutser.
- VIII. Harry Neil.
- IX. Bessie Shipway.

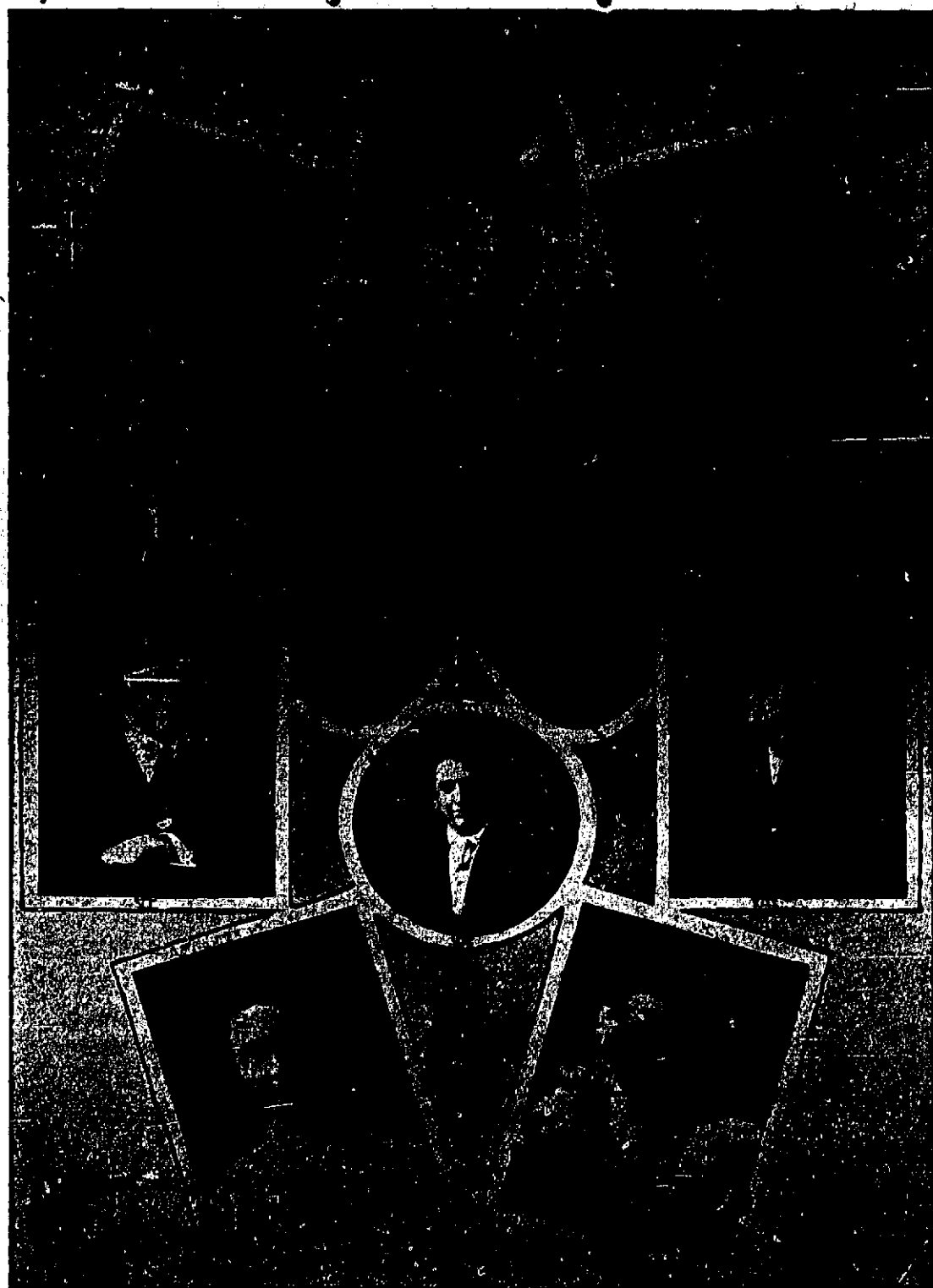


BASEBALL TEAM

BASEBALL

Baseball has been the popular branch of athletics at Covina this year. The standard of playing has been high and the school has taken everything before it. Out of a total of eighteen games played, fourteen have resulted in victories for C. H. S.

Names of players, reading from left to right: Top row, Fisher, Reed, Neil, scorer; middle row, Crouse, Hepner, Fairly, King, Flach, Sigstad; bottom row, Coltrin, Kisler, Taylor.



CARDINAL STAFF



FACULTY

BASKETBALL

In basketball this year, the girls' team of the high school was unsuccessful during the first part of the year, but developed more strength during the latter part, winning the last two games played, one from Bonita and one from Ontario.

Players in photograph, from left to right: Top row, May Allison, Rose Nigg, Grace Boots, Myra Burpost; bottom row, Hattie Nye, Geradine Aschenbrenner, Sadie Lincoln.



BASKETBALL TEAM

FACULTY

One of the reasons of the high standing of Covina High School has been the strict rule adhered to by the board of trustees in securing instructors of merit and efficiency. Besides those appearing in the accompanying left corner is the English instructor, Miss Edith M. Demonds, whose modesty, 'tis said, would not permit having her picture appear in the high school annual.

- I. M. Evangelino Griswold.
- II. W. B. Gledhill.
- III. Constance F. Manning.
- IV. A. Harvey Collins, Principal.
- V. Lillie E. V. Lloyd.
- VI. Belle A. Williams.
- VII. Ida E. Hawes.

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COVINA, June 22, 1907.

Business Men Favor the Bonds.

Next to the completion of the Electric Road the most important event in the history of Covina is to unfold itself on Monday, July 1st; we refer to the voting of the bonds for the new high school building. This event interests every person dwelling for miles in every direction, and every voter within the school district should recognize his own interests in this matter and not fail to cast his vote for the bonds, July 1st. It is not necessary to go into any laborious discussion to establish the necessity for additional school facilities. In fact the future growth of our own city depends almost on the vote on Monday, July 1st.

Elsewhere appears a statement from Prof. A. H. Collins setting forth the needs of the district which should receive the earnest consideration of the voters.

Below we give the expression of a few of our business men, showing the position they take on the matter:

J. H. Adams, President of the First National Bank: I will use all my influence to carry the bonds. Nothing builds up a city so much as good schools and churches. We cannot afford to have the bonds defeated. It would mean a retrograde step. We need the school facilities and as a business investment it will be the best Covina ever made.

W. B. Broadwell: It is a good thing. It is a move in the right direction, shows that we are enterprising, and we ought to have the best that's going. As for cost, many of us spend more for cigars in one year than the total expense will be to us. Let every one get into the harness and work to carry the bonds.

V. O. English: They ought to carry unanimously. The reasons are apparent. Additional school facilities are needed at the present time and with the completion of the Electric road more people will settle here and consequently it is absolutely necessary to have more room for the children. As a business proposition it is the best investment a tax payer can make.

C. W. Potter: Anything for the betterment of the schools has my support. I believe in educating our children at home and to do this we must have the facilities. We should all get in and work for the upbuilding of our schools.

G. O. Dudderar: At the present time I favor the bonds, and will always be found working for any legitimate needs of the schools.

J. C. Thompson: There cannot be any better investment for the community than fine schools. If we want people to know that we are progressing no better step can be taken. It adds more to real estate values than any other public improvement. There can be no better recommendation for a town. It is money to the tax payer, a genuine investment. Vote by all means for the bonds.

Stanton Bros., and Keeling: We want our trustees to look far enough ahead to build a school house that will be ample for the future. Don't let us make the mistake we did last time. Let us vote ample bonds at this time to provide for a building that when equipped will be a credit and the pride of our city.

B. L. King: We need an up-to-date, modern school building with improved facilities and I certainly favor the issue of \$60,000.00.

C. F. Clapp: A new High School building is absolutely essential for the welfare of our city. Nothing appeals to Easterners visiting a new place in search of a home like up-to-date schools. This is the first question they ask. Building should not only be commodious but also artistic. Sufficient bonds should be voted to enable the trustees to erect a building that will be a credit to the city. I will vote and work for the bonds.

W. A. Welch: As a business man I recognize the necessity of good public improvements. Nothing attracts like good schools. Covina in five years will be a city of 8000 and we should provide for this growth. Let us all work in harmony for the bonds.

A. R. Evans: Most assuredly I am in favor of the bonds. We ought at all times to do all we can for higher

education. Let us have the best facilities and best equipment in the County.

I. C. Fairly: I am in favor of the bonds provided the proposed new school house is built within easy distance of the business section. I am confident that such a high school as contemplated will attract new residents to our city.

W. F. Huff: Covina never wants to take a second place along educational lines. We certainly must have the new school house.

F. H. Fabrick: I favor the bonds and will work to carry them. We need the school room and Covina must always be kept in the front ranks educationally.

E. P. Warner: I am in favor of the bonds. It is not a question of whether we ought to, or not, we have got to provide school facilities. The only question is the amount. Personally I would favor a larger issue, up to \$75,000.00. The people who may oppose it will have plenty of time to sell out, at an advance, to those who are brought here by the good school, before they will be asked to pay a dollar of the indebtedness.

F. E. Walfarth: We must have room for the pupils and if room is necessary at this time I shall certainly favor the bond issue. I never believe in retrenchment in school matters. The needs of the school should be supplied.

C. L. Hulce: I am in favor of anything for the advancement and growth of our city. We need a better high school building than we have now and we must have it. I certainly favor the bond issue.

P. F. Fester: We need a building that will be a credit to our city. I would sooner pay taxes for educational purposes than any other public improvement. I will vote and work for the bonds.

J. C. Hutchinson: I certainly approve of the bond issue. It is essential that in all localities should be good school facilities. It is to the interest of all the property owners to see that these bonds carry. Education is the foundation of our country.

W. M. Griswold: I shall work enthusiastically for the bonds. It is a step in the right direction. It will bring greater returns than any other investment we might make. Good school facilities attract desirable citizens, and the returns will be several times the outlay.

T. E. Finch: I am in favor of school houses with ample facilities for our children. We must either vote the bonds or stop raising children, and we all believe too heartily in the Roosevelt doctrine to be able to do the latter.

W. P. Marshall: The bonds by all means carry. The present school buildings are not sufficient to accommodate the attendance and we must provide for the future. Let us build up and not retard education. Vote for the bonds.

W. Q. Custer: I am in favor of voting the bonds. Firstly: Because a good high school building is a necessity; Secondly: It should be characteristic of the progressiveness of our town that in educational lines we occupy a position second to none in the county. We should build for the future. The cost to us annually, on \$60,000.00 twenty year bonds, will be very light, as we are possibly the richest horticultural district in California.

ANNUAL MEETING.

To the stockholders of the San Gabriel Valley Milling Company: Please take notice that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the San Gabriel Valley Milling Company will be held at the principal office of the company, in the town of Covina, Los Angeles County, California, on Saturday, the 10th day of June, 1907, at 10 o'clock a.m. for the purpose of electing directors, amending the by-laws and transacting any other business that may properly come before the meeting.

By order of the board of directors.
L. L. RATEKIN, Secretary.

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In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles.

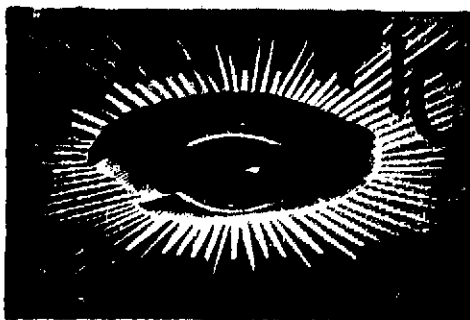
In the matter of the estate of George Guinther, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the estate of George Guinther, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit the same with the necessary vouchers within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice, to the said G. H. White, administrator of said estate, at the law offices of George L. Sanders, 325-335 Wilcox Building, in the City of Los Angeles, County of Los Angeles, State of California, the same being the place of the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of Los Angeles.

Dated this 22nd day of May, 1907.
G. H. WHITE,
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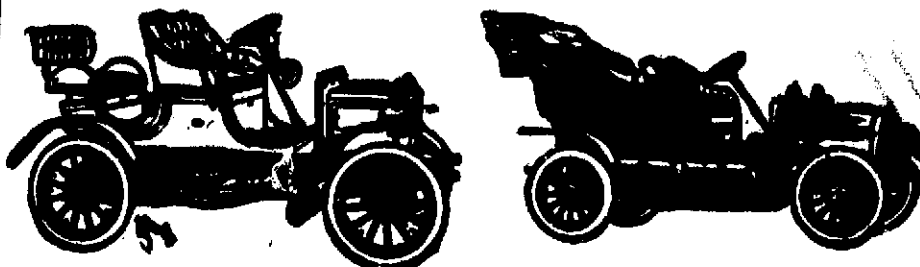
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But the salary and expense cost is the least important feature of comparative statistics. The bill for incidental expense is both instructive and unanswerable argument for county division. We who live in the southeast corner of Los Angeles county must determine our proportion of liability for such bills as these:

Courts and criminals \$180,230.29
Paupers, Indigents and Insane 159,705.28
Advertising and miscellaneous expense 166,541.39
Personal property, including bridges 110,427.72

Total \$616,904.68

As if this sum of eleven hundred thousand dollars were not enough we are face to face with an increase of salaries amounting to \$162,260.00 without any corresponding increase in official efficiency. We must help to pay for more grounds and buildings for officers and jails.

A most important feature of the salary matter from our standpoint is that our portion of the expense is a constant drain upon this district. It goes from us to build up the city of Los Angeles and its immediate environs. Our money does not come back into our district. We have had but one county officer elected in twenty years from east of the San Gabriel river. Mr. Howe's election was due in great part to his past railroad services and not to his identity with our section. When the new county is formed all money paid in public salaries will go back to build up the districts which furnish the officers and pay the taxes.

Of the enormous sum spent on the incidentals of our present county government we cause but a slight portion of the expense and reap but indirect benefit from most of that expenditure. Why should we pay public bills more than private ones which are caused by others? In the new county we will get all we pay for and pay only for what we get.

Our taxes for this year are assessed. The assessor wisely refuses access to the assessment rolls. He wants us to live in peace as long as we can. We must pay our taxes this fall. They amount to a sum approximating \$65,000.00. To whom shall we pay them? On the answer to that question depends the whole county division project. If we continue to pay them into the Los Angeles county treasury we shall continue to get just what we have been getting—big salaries, bigger expenses, and an immense budget for incidentals. If we organize a new county and pay taxes to ourselves, what shall we get?

1. Home people in full control of home affairs, officials who are neighbors.

2. Money enough from the whole district to run the new county, paying its fixed charges, for two years.

3. A surplus at the disposal of the supervisors to be spent on "best roads," or any other enterprise for the upbuilding of the county.

4. Free use of buildings and grounds for county offices, the tenure of the new city hall to be determined by the supervisors.

5. All salaries going back into the district which pays the taxes.

6. A county whose compactness, prosperity, high social status, general distribution of population, freedom from natural obstacles to travel, short distances to be covered by officials and litigants, and uniform occupations would be capable of being governed at the lowest tax rate of all the counties in the state.

Average efficiency on the part of the officers you are asked to elect would guarantee this most favorable result.

In view of all this is it wise to let personal feeling and personal differences sway the decision? The pleasant social and business relations with the metropolis would be no less pleasant and permanent. Only dead indifference can be blind to the fact that local self government is the privilege and right of tax payers everywhere.

Urgent requests are already coming in that the proposed boundaries of the new county be enlarged. These petitions are from heavy tax payers who are roused by the foregoing facts and by others of even more startling import. Of these we shall speak later. But if those already mentioned were all the material facts, we believe they would fully justify the activities of The County Division Bureau, Pomona, California.

R. P. Shepherd, Sec'y.

Local Events.

Decoration calendar pads at Clapp's drug store. *tf*

Place your savings in the United States Savings Bank of Covina and secure 4 per cent interest.

Special for Saturday and Sunday, Chocolate Fudge, 15c per pound. Palace of Sweets.

Mrs. Dessa M. Fultz, of Long Beach, spent from Tuesday to Thursday at the home of Mrs. A. Warner.

Miss Lillian Douglas has returned from Le Sell Seminary, Auburndale, near Boston, where she delivered the Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Conner, of Pasadena have been called here by the serious illness of their mother, Mrs. P. J. Conner.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Baldrige, of Los Angeles, and children, are spending several days here, at the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Baldrige and Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Vincent.

Mr. and Mrs. Dana King entertained for the week end, Miss Hill, of Chicago. A pleasant feature of her visit was a picnic on Sunday in San Dimas Canyon.

Through the agency of H. D. Blanchard, W. L. Griffiths has presented his wife with a beautiful new two cylinder Reo touring car, to celebrate the third anniversary of their wedding.

Mrs. Murray Clifford is spending three or four days in Los Angeles the guest of friends.

Mrs. Flemming, of Puente, was the guest of Miss Ruth Poole on Wednesday.

For Rent—Three or four furnished rooms, if wanted, for light house-keeping. Gas stove. Apply to Mrs. Winslow, Italia street, near library. *1p*

Mr. E. P. Warner and Mr. Hulce took a business trip to Riverside, Redlands and San Bernardino, this week. Mr. and Mrs. Smith, of Los Angeles, are spending several days here at the home of their daughter, Mrs. H. W. White.

Mrs. C. O. Glover is entertaining this week her uncle, George E. Barnes and wife of Garden Grove.

Miss Helen Lawson and Love Seymour, of Claremont, were guests at the Carnahan home on Sunday and Monday last.

Today the Presbyterian young ladies are having a glorious time running the car to Vineland; it isn't too late to take a ride for the good of the cause.

Week end guests at the Garrison home were Miss Myrtle Garrison of Long Beach, and Mrs. Wm. Bell, of Pomona. The Misses Virginia and Georgia have both been appointed to the Long Beach schools and the family will move July 1st to the seaside city. Covina little ones lose two loving and skilled teachers.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Smith, parents of Mrs. Harry White, have arrived to spend two weeks at the parsonage.

On Saturday last the classes of Mrs. White and Miss Farmer had a very enjoyable picnic in Dalton Canyon.

The Covina Valley Farmers' Club held its annual basket picnic on Saturday last beneath the shade of the beautiful grove on Walnut road, northeast of Covina. Ranchers from all parts of the valley, with their wives and families, to the number of about a hundred people were present. No regular program was given, the day being given over to a good social time. The grove where the gathering was held is recommended as a fine place for picnic parties.

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For Sale—A tent, 10x10. Mrs. James Windell. *tf*

Miss Odell of Long Beach is visiting at the home of Harry Damerel and other Covina friends.

Miss Ellen Beach Yaw sang for the students at the Polytechnic High School, Los Angeles, on Friday last.

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The largest and best equipped shop in Covina for painting carriages and automobiles is Wilson's, opposite postoffice.

The ladies of the Baptist church will hold an ice cream social next Friday afternoon and evening in Mrs. Cook's store, opposite Hotel Vendome.

The 4th of July will soon be here and of course you want to dress upon the 4th, so bring that suit in, and have it cleaned and pressed.

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The ladies of the Baptist Church will hold an ice cream social next Friday afternoon and evening in Mrs. Cook's store, opposite Hotel Vendome. Come and get cool.

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Word has been received from Mrs. L. M. Jeffries, who is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Baxter of San Diego, and having a glorious time with picnics, automobile trips and receptions.

The Fortnightly Club will hold its last meeting of the year on next Monday evening, June 24th, in the High School auditorium. Dr. Wayne P. Smith of the State Normal will address the club upon the topic, "Literature and Art." There will be light refreshments with a few special numbers of music. The following toasts will be responded to by members of the club: 1. The Fortnightly Club that has been. 2. The Fortnightly Club to be. 3. The Ladies. 4. The New High School. 5. The New Churches. 6. Covina's Future.

FOR

A tent has been erected on Main street where the bricks are being made, and a handsome new church will soon be erected on the northeast corner, opposite the library.

Mrs. P. J. Conner, whose illness was noted last week, is still in a very serious condition, many complications are against her but her friends hope for the best.

Mrs. John Brunjes, and daughter, Phyllis, returned Tuesday evening from a visit of a few days with relatives in Ocean Park. On Sunday morning she sang a solo in the Episcopal church.

L. L. Ratekin, of the San Gabriel Valley Milling Co., left Tuesday morning for a trip up the coast line and down the Sacramento valley on business connected with the grain crops and milling industry.

Guests at the home of L. L. Ratekin, on Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Moran and Gladys and Ray Moran, of Alhambra; Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Lemon, and Bernice Lemon, of Lordsburg; Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester, of Lordsburg.

ANCESTRAL APPETITES.

Table Feats of Some Famous Feeders of Bygone Days.

A generation holding critical views on a man's intelligent, or unwise, choice of parents is not likely to indulge in ancestor worship. But there are at least one or two things in which our ancestors were truly greater than we of the present day can ever aspire to be. Take them, for instance, at table. If ancient books on table etiquette are to be taken seriously, and there is no reason why they should not be, the ancestor was in the habit of gnawing bones a la chien and of disposing of them by the simple means of throwing them under the table or over his shoulder. He worked hard with his hands in the dishes, when a succulent but slippery morsel refused to come to him by means of knife and fork. He used his table napkin for unspeakable purposes and his fork in utter forgetfulness as comb or toothbrush. In one sense, therefore, he did not know how to eat. Meanwhile, in another, he was truly great for the quantities of food which he caused to disappear at a single meal were nothing short of marvelous.

The records preserved of the ancestor's feats of the fork (and the finger) are woefully thin, but now and again one of these very human documents in the form of a menu is unearthed and tells its own story. Such is the following list of dishes served in 1334 to a worthy citizen of Valencia on the occasion of his taking unto himself a wife. Across the space of close upon the six centuries the cranes and lamprays, the peacocks and boar's head of the feast made fine display. This is the order in which the fourteenth century wedding banquet was served:

MENU.
Roast crane, venison, lamprey.
Peacock, pheasant, guinea fowl, caprey, snipe, pike.
Baked pomegranates, burnt almonds, vegetables, fish.
Eel pie and toast.
Galantine of sprats and cheese cakes.
Heacock, crane, pheasant.
Crayfish, boar's head and savouries.
Figs, medlars and wafers.
Wine.
Saint Jagon, Branne, Burgundy and Hock.

The Italians also were famous feeders and seem to have distinguished themselves in particular during the early days of the renaissance. The Bourbons valiantly followed suit, one of the most distinguished successes being scored by Louis XIV., of whom an eyewitness wrote: "I often saw him eat four plates of soup, a whole pheasant, a guinea fowl, a large dish of salad, several slices of mutton with garlic sauce, two large slices of ham, a dish of cake and dessert." The threats of his physicians finally reduced his majesty to such meager fare as two plates of pigeon broth and three roast fowls. According to Arenberg, the great king was later in life subject to attacks of indigestion.

The little suppers in the reign of the next Louis, though on a slightly less gigantic scale, are still sufficiently impressive. The Marquise d'Artenay, for instance, put before her guests after they came from the theater and before they went on to a dance this collation: Pigeon soup, with lentils and carrots. Chicken broth.
Patties of fowl, veal, capon, pheasants, guinea fowl.
Sweetbread and roast poulets.
Baked starlings, wood pigeons, wild duck and snipe.
Cakes, Sweets, Fruit.

It seems a pity no record is preserved of what happened at the dance following this supper party.

A Big Fan.
A good deal of royal significance has been given to fans. They were symbols of authority in Mexico before the conquest. Queen Mary of England received on New Year's day in 1556 "7 fannes to keep the hets of the fyre." Queen Elizabeth favored the custom that a fan was the only present a sovereign could receive from a subject. Fans have not always been dainty trifles. Jean de Balzac, a French writer of the seventeenth century, wrote from Italy during the reign of Louis XIV. of the enormous fans in use there suspended from the ceiling and worked by four servants. He says, "I have a fan that makes wind enough in my chamber to wreck a ship."

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FARMER'S CLUB

June 23 and 29 in Pomona
At the instance of the Pomona board of trade, a session of the university farmer's institute will be held in Pomona, June 28 and 29; beginning at 10 a. m. on the 28 in Cooperative Hall and continuing all day and evening there; on the 29th at Ganesha Park where there will be an all-day program with a basket picnic at noon. The institute will be under the immediate direction of J. B. Neff, representative of the state university. The program is not yet perfected, but it will be one of unusual interest and soon be given wide circulation.

Citrus diseases; green manure crops nature and importance of humus in soils; good roads; handling poultry for profit; parasitic insects; how to buy and use fertilizers, and use and conservation of water in soils are prominent among the subjects on the program, and each will be treated by one competent by experience and study, to impart valuable information about it. Discussion will follow each paper and the question box will be open all the time, to be given attention at intervals. The people of Pomona should give the institute a generous audience. This is a section specially devoted to soil products.
Covina, Glendora, San Dimas, Spadra, Lordsburg, Claremont, Upland, Cucamonga, Ontario, Chino and Pomona are all expected to be represented.

Program for Children's Day.

Baptist Sunday school, June 23, 7:45
Piano Solo Miss Nye
Song, Children's Day has come again Class of girls
Recitation Katie Reeg
Recitation John Poe
Recitation, Grandma Pays the Bill. Vera Brubaker
Song, Jesus wants me for a sunbeam Four girls
Recitation, Bright Little Popples Four girls
Recitation, The Indoor Sun, Paul Gage
Piano Solo Mark Custer
Recitation, The Floral Cross Four girls
Recitation, The Teacher Solo, Butterfly Song Mary Casey
Recitation and Flag Drill Christian Warriors Nine young ladies
Chorus, Praise The Lord Young Peoples Class
Recitation Gladys Smee
Exercise, Christ the Center of the World Twelve young ladies

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Notice of High School Bond Election.

Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of Covina City High School District, of the County of Los Angeles, State of California, that in accordance with the provisions of the Political Code of the State of California, an election will be held on the first (1) day of July, 1907, at the grammar school building in said high school district, between the hours of one p.m. and five p.m. (during which period and between which hours the polls shall remain open), at which election the question of issuing and selling bonds of said high school district to the amount of sixty thousand (\$60,000) dollars, for the purpose of raising money for purchasing high school lots, for building a high school building, for supplying the same with furniture and necessary apparatus, and for improving the grounds, will be voted upon.

The said bonds thereunder to be issued and sold shall be of the denomination of six thousand (\$6,000) dollars each, and shall bear interest at the rate of five (5) per cent per annum, and shall be numbered from 1 to 10 consecutively as follows, to-wit:

- Bond No. 1, six thousand (\$6,000) dollars, to run eleven years.
- Bond No. 2, six thousand (\$6,000) dollars, to run twelve years.
- Bond No. 3, six thousand (\$6,000) dollars, to run thirteen years.
- Bond No. 4, six thousand (\$6,000) dollars, to run fourteen years.
- Bond No. 5, six thousand (\$6,000) dollars, to run fifteen years.
- Bond No. 6, six thousand (\$6,000) dollars, to run sixteen years.
- Bond No. 7, six thousand (\$6,000) dollars, to run seventeen years.
- Bond No. 8, six thousand (\$6,000) dollars, to run eighteen years.
- Bond No. 9, six thousand (\$6,000) dollars, to run nineteen years.
- Bond No. 10, six thousand (\$6,000) dollars, to run twenty years.

That G. H. White will act as inspector, and A. W. Cushman and Robert J. Pollard will act as judges of said election, and conduct the same, said inspector and judges being competent and qualified electors of said High School District.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our hands this third day of June, 1907.

J. H. Cushman,
L. L. Ketchin.

High School Board of Covina City High School District, Los Angeles County, California.

Keyhold Tenure in London.

The curious custom of keyhold tenure still prevails at Crowland, the famous abbey town in the Lincolnshire fens, where there are a number of cottages which are neither copyhold, freehold nor leasehold. They were originally built on waste land, and in each case the possessor of the key holds an undisputed tenancy. Although some of the occupiers have replaced the mud and thatched dwellings of antiquity with brick and slated buildings, they have no power to sell or will them away, for they have no deeds. On a tenant dying the first person to cross the threshold takes his place if he so desires. Many devices have been resorted to to obtain the keys. The properties carry a county vote, but the poor law guardians always refuse to grant relief to the tenants.—London Globe.

A Vegetable Freak.

California has one tree which is the personification of mystery. Found nowhere else in the world, it had a mysterious origin and thrives in a region of mystery. The Mojave yucca is a vegetable freak which has developed into a species. It has the characteristics of several plants, to which no relationship can be traced. It is an endogen, yet its bark shows concentric rings such as characterize the exogenous stems. It lives and thrives in great numbers in a region nearly devoid of vegetation.—P. E. Magazine.

Elephants.

People who really know nothing about it used to say that elephants never lie down to sleep. This is not true at all, says one writer. They have been known to stand for twelve months without lying down to sleep. This is regarded as want of confidence in their keepers and of longing to regain their liberty, for when they are perfectly at ease and reconciled to their fate they will lie down on their sides and sleep peacefully.

A Flippant Jailbird.

"This confinement," said the long faced prison visitor, "must distress you greatly."
"Yes," replied the facetious convict, "I find the prison bars grating."
"Ah, life to you is a failure!"
"Yes; it's nothing but a cell."

Lazy.

Some friends were discussing an artist whose laziness was proverbial.
"He is so lazy," said one, "that he paints nothing but winter scenes to save himself the trouble of putting leaves on the trees."

The Seventh Time.

She: When I accepted Jack he said he felt as if he was in the seventh heaven. He: I can well believe it. He has been engaged six times before. Fliegende Blatter.

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A WHISTLER STORY.

The Eagle That Was Made to Pose as a Fighting Cock.

Apocryphal of something Whistler once told a cockfight story so vividly that only a man with a sailor's instinct could tell it as well, mimic it so keenly and enjoy it so thoroughly. It was a story of a strange species of the American cock, pictured to the smallest detail so beautifully that one forgot that it was a story.

Some American sailors were at a cockfight in a seaport town in England when one of them remarked to the owner of the champion:

"We have got an American cock on board that can whip any bird here." "Go fetch 'im on," said the champion. "Chuck 'im in and see. If 'e licks one bird we 'ave plenty more to throw in that can lick hany blawsted Hamerican bird you can fetch 'ere."

"All right. We'll bring one," said the sailors. When they got aboard they rigged up an American eagle. After their own manner, they painted, trimmed, spliced and reefed fore and aft, transforming the eagle to a cock. When ready they went ashore to pit their new American gamecock against all England.

At the pit the sailors checked in their cock, which looked around for other surprises as he backed close to the wall.

"Now, bring on your birds!" yelled the sailors. A strutting cock was thrown into the pit and was another surprise to the poor dismantled eagle. He backed up closer and closer to the wall, wondering what would happen next. The cock walked three times majestically around the circle, cuffing at his strange opponent, the eagle pitifully abashed and bedrabbled, crouching lower and lower and looking around and above him for an explanation of what it all meant, while the crowd were yelling madly for the English fighter. The eagle made himself smaller and smaller, but at last, finding that he could get back no further and thinking that something was expected of him, and, as the cock dashed at him again, stretched out his long claws and took his opponent by the neck.

Here Whistler ended with an imitation by motions of what the eagle did. He stretched out his arm, shaped his hand like a claw, which by this time looked like a real one, drew it to his mouth and with one bite pulled off the head as he thought an eagle might do it. Then he looked blandly about the room, as the eagle had done, at the astonished crowd and said, "Now bring on your other birds."—Otto Bacher in Century.

TOWNS WITH TROUBLES.

London's trouble is her fog. Tokyo's trouble is earthquakes. In her worst 200,000 residents were killed. The mistral is the trouble of Marseilles, an east wind that increases the city's death rate 50 per cent.

Calcutta's trouble is cholera, and the bubonic plague is the trouble of Bombay. Each city pays to her trouble an annual tribute of 9,000 souls.

Bagdad's trouble is the "Bagdad button," a sore that attacks practically every resident and visitor, leaving a button shaped permanent scar.

Madrid's trouble is the solano, a summer wind from the southeast. It is exceedingly hot and is accompanied by blinding, choking clouds of dust, so that notwithstanding a temperature of 106 or 110 degrees all windows must be closed.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

The Science of Chemistry.

Chemistry did not become a science—in other words, chemistry proper did not exist—until the seventeenth century, and it was as late as the middle of the eighteenth century before it began to amount to much. The old alchemy undoubtedly contained the germs, or at least the possibilities, of the present day chemistry, but beyond this the relationship between the modern science and the ancient delusion is slight indeed. Still, it cannot be denied that it was in the foolish search for the "Philosopher's Stone" and the "Elixir of Life" that men first hit upon the discoveries which were destined to develop into the great science of today.—New York American.

The Sarcastic Cobby.

The London bobby is notorious for overgrown feet and hands. Likewise the London cobby is generally accredited with never being at a loss for a reply. One day a bobby lifted up his hand majestically to halt a cobby, but the latter crowded his horse ahead. "Didn't you see me raise my 'and'?" demanded the bobby.

"I did see the sky darken a moment, but my 'orse was shyn' at your feet," retorted the cobby as he whipped up and went on.—London Graphic.

The Danes and the Raven.

Perhaps the Danes selected the raven for their standard out of feelings of gratitude, for before the invention of the mariner's compass they must have found him extremely useful. The only method of determining whether land was near was to let loose a raven. If the bird saw land he sailed away forever; if he did not, he returned to the ship.—London Chronicle.

Equally Culpable.

"I can say for myself that I never have been mean enough to get another woman's cook away from her." "Neither have I, but I must confess that once or twice I have tried to work our cook off on some of my neighbors."

Hypocrisy is the necessary burden of villainy.—Dr. Johnson.

Assessment Notice.

Columbia Land & Water Company, location of principal place of business, Covina, California.

Notice is hereby given that at a regular meeting of the board of directors of the Columbia Land & Water Company, held on June 5th, 1907, an assessment of \$2.00 per share was levied on the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately in lawful money of the United States of America to the secretary of the corporation at his office in Covina, California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 7th day of July, 1907, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on the 1st day of August, 1907, at 8 p. m., to pay the delinquent assessment, together with cost of advertising and expense of sale.

J. H. MATTHEWS, Secretary. Office of the company at Citrus avenue, Covina, Cal.

Notice of Stockholders' Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Covina Valley Savings Bank will be held at the office of the corporation in the city of Covina, Cal., on the ninth day of July, 1907, at ten o'clock a. m., for the purpose of amending Article one, Section one of the by-laws.

By order of Board of Directors. J. C. HUTCHINSON, Jr., Secretary.

Notice for Publication.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles, made on the 6th day of May, 1907, in the matter of the estate and guardianship of Lucinda Rockwell, a mentally incompetent person, in the matter of the above entitled estate, the undersigned administrator of the said estate will sell at private sale to the highest bidder for cash, in gold coin of the United States, and on such terms as may be satisfactory to said administrator and lawful, and subject to confirmation by the said Superior Court, on and after the first day of June, 1907, at the office of Wm. A. Gaines, attorney for said administrator and estate, room 10-11 Larronde Building, No. 134 1/2 North Spring street, City and County of Los Angeles, State of California, all the right, title, interest and estate of the said estate of Lucinda Rockwell, mentally incompetent, in and to all those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, lying and being in the County of Los Angeles, State of California, and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot 17, in block 5, of the townsite of Covina, as per map in Book 9, pages 3-4, Miscellaneous Records of Los Angeles County, State of California, and all the personal property itemized and described in said petition.

Said real property so described is recorded in the office of the County Recorder of Los Angeles County, State of California. Dated this 7th day of May, 1907. LORENZO A. ROCKWELL, Administrator. Wm. A. Gaines, attorney for the estate. 6-22

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Social News

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Mrs. James S. Tripp entertained the ladies of the Methodist Episcopal Missionary Society on Thursday afternoon at her home on Citrus avenue. After the meeting tables were set for a sumptuous banquet.

Mrs. C. E. Crawford gave a pleasant little card party on Tuesday evening at her home on Center street, those present being, Meses, Fletcher, Evans, Nash, Clapp, Prather, Sherwood and Clarke. Mrs. Crawford Sr. served dainty refreshments.

Mr. Charles Evans entertained on Monday evening with a dinner at the home of P. Kalli, lent to him during their trip to the Yosemite. The guests were: Meses, and Meses, Fletcher, Damerel, A. R. Evans, Miss Widney, Messrs. John Brunjes and Simpson.

An interesting wedding will take place on Wednesday next, June 26th, when one of Covina's fairest daughters Miss Jennie Elizabeth Bashor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Madison Bashor, of South Citrus avenue, will be united in marriage to Mr. Oscar Miller, a recent arrival from the east, who has lately purchased the Bashor ranch.

After the wedding the young couple will leave on the Santa Fe for the east. Further details of the ceremony will be given next week.

On Sunday last Miss Gertrude Smith, the sweet and charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Smith, of South Citrus avenue, was united in marriage to Mr. J. L. Shuey, a popular merchant tailor of Long Beach.

The ceremony was performed in the prettily decorated parlors of the Smith home, the bride, attired in a beautiful costume of white silk crepe de chine standing under an archway of white Marguerites.

The officiating minister was the Rev. H. White. The young couple left in the evening for San Diego, where they will spend a short honeymoon.

Mrs. J. M. Bashor of Los Angeles entertained a number of her friends to a Thursday afternoon tea in honor of Mrs. Joseph Fraulo of Monrovia, a June bride of '07. The afternoon was merrily spent in games and conversation. Mrs. Haddon of Los Angeles carrying away the prizes. Among those present were: Mrs. Joseph Fraulo of Duarte, Mrs. and Miss Watchel, Mrs. Haddon and Mrs. Frantz of Los Angeles, Mrs. Spencer of Alhambra, Mrs. Komp, Mrs. Stewart and Mrs. Hicks of Monrovia and Mrs. C. I. Smith of Hollywood.

COMMENCEMENT NEWS.

Continued from first page. condemned to go before Mr. Collins to give an account of herself, but may take one friend to intercede. She appeals to all in turn. Class split (H. Shipway), Cardinal (A. Hepner) Base Ball girl (H. Willets), Girl's leader (A. Atwood), High School Girls (M. Johnson, V. Houser, G. Aschenbrenner), Base Ball man (Wallace Reed), Athletic manager, Ray Crouse. All are willing to help but dare not face the terrible Mr. Collins, but at last Senior tries "Good Grades", (Glady's Hessler) and everything turns out well. Clarence Fabric, Robert Utter and Brewster Stevens were the lower classes who received good advice and promised to be good.

Every part was splendidly done but special mention must be made of Jessie Kistler whose pretty, petite beauty, clear voice and fine acting kept everyone in breathless attention. At the close, the class presented the school with a beautiful piece of statuary, a copy of the "Victory" of Berlin, made in 1870 to celebrate the end of the Franco-German war.

On Friday afternoon, June 14th, there was held in the Grammar school an exhibition of vocal work, art work, manual training and other interesting features of the work of the school year.

An immense crowd was seated in the main room of the Grammar school, many being crowded around the doors showing again the need of more room. Great credit is due Professor Collins, Mrs. Miller and the teachers, not forgetting the art teacher, Miss Williams, the proof of whose able work, and of that of the teachers under her direction, covered every available inch of the walls.

The singing was much enjoyed and

the children showed great skill in the use of the tonic sol-fa system, the exercises being more difficult with each grade.

In the first and second grades, under the Misses Garrison, it was difficult to realize that the work was all that of such little tots. Dainty colored hammocks woven and striped from the children's own designs, paper and card-board cutting, folding and colouring resulted in strings of baskets, lanterns, houses etc. Original illustrations of stories such as "Four and twenty pipers" and "The Pied Piper" were very funny.

The same studies such as fruit and flowers from nature and children drawn from life poses by members of the class, show the different skill to be obtained in each grade, not a few of the babies surpassing some of the older ones.

The popples and pepper berries in Grade one, and the sketches of children from life painted in ink by Grade II, were noticeably good. In grade III the written work was very good, Grade IV showed great interest taken both by the teachers and scholars. The geography and history work was illustrated by Dutch clothes, windmills and shoe canoes, models of telegraphy all made by the children, products of the cow and many interesting exhibits from foreign countries loaned by the parents. In Grade V we noticed Relief maps of the United States, and our state and county, made of paper pulp. Grade VI showed the same maps colored and a map with the products fastened to each state, such as grains of corn, cotton, lumber, pine cones and little pictures of native animals.

Grades VI and VII showed fine work in model and perspective drawing, designing of book covers and posters and stencilled pillow-covers. Every room was a bower of greenery, flowers and potted plants. Those who were absent missed a treat and must be wiser next year.

On Thursday afternoon literary exercises were given in the high school by the Junior, or '08 class. This class consists of fourteen girls and only four boys, for which reason the girls were presented with a magnet by the Seniors. A well rendered program was given consisting of: Piano duet, Misses Leighton and Elliott; violin solo, Mr. Custer; original poem, Miss Hughes; vocal solo, Miss Fletcher; reading, Miss Marian Given; violin solo, Miss Bess Given. The class play which followed was a mock trial of the Seniors, and was well rendered by those who took the various parts.

For a two day special, Saturday and Sunday, post cards in one dozen lots, 15c per dozen. Palace of Sweets.

Oh! What a beautiful new skirt you have. Oh, that is my old one I had cleaned and pressed at Schumm's the tailor.

Clarence M. Mylrea, cashier of the Bank of San Bernardino, was the guest on Sunday of his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Rosa C. Clarke.

Church News

Presbyterian services: Sunday-school 9:45 a.m.; preaching 11 a.m.; subject, "Evidence of Christ Life." Y.P.S.C.E. 6:45. Gospel services 7:45; subject, "The Excuse, Why I am not a Christian." All strangers cordially invited to these services. Paul G. Stevens, pastor.

Services in the Church of the Holy Trinity, Fourth Sunday after Trinity: Holy Communion 11 a.m.; subject, "Living Water." Evensong 7:30 p.m.; subject, "How can these Things be?" Offertory solo by Miss Hodell, "My Faith in Thee."

Services at the Christian Church: Sunday-school 9:45. Preaching at 11 by the pastor; subject, "What Do Ye More than Others?" Junior service 3. Endeavor 7. Preaching 8; subject, "Naaman the Leper." Special music at both services. All are cordially invited.

Baptist services: Bible-school 9:30. Morning service 11; subject, "Glorifying God and Its Results." B. Y. P. U. 7; subject, "Who are Slaves and Who are Free Men?" Children's Day services in the evening instead of the regular services at 7:15.

Death of W. C. Hibsch.

News was received on Tuesday of this week of the sudden death of W. C. Hibsch, at McCabe, Arizona. Mr. Hibsch was formerly a blacksmith of this city. He leaves a widow and two boys. Mrs. Hibsch for the past year has filled the position as rural carrier in the Covina post-office.

Good dirt for the hauling may be had at the Episcopal rectory.

Mrs. E. Wilkins returned last night from Catalina, where she has spent two months with her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Matthews.

Where is J. S. Frantz? I wish to reach him relative to his Colorado land. H. G. Newson, Akron, Colo. 6-29

J. R. Abbey, agent of the S. P. at Puente, was scratched on the hand by a cat, one day last week, from which blood poisoning developed with fatal results, the unfortunate man dying Monday of this week.

The newly elected officers of Covina Canton, I.O.O.F., were installed on Saturday night by Col. H. S. Brown, of Los Angeles, representing the Department Commander of California. He was assisted by Major Woodbridge and Staff Capt. Sheritt, both of Pasadena. The ceremonies were semi-public and were followed by a banquet. The newly elected officers are: C. E. Clapp, Capt.; C. E. Griffith, Lieutenant; W. Armel, Ensign; Geo. Coolman, Clerk; L. Mohner, Accountant.

Laying of the Corner Stone of the First M. E. Church.

Sunday is to be a red letter day at the Methodist Church, the occasion being the laying of the corner stone for the new church, and the relaying of the old corner stone, necessitated by the removal of the old building to a new location on the lot.

The program for the day is as follows:—

- 9:45 a. m. Grand rally of the Sunday School.
- 11:00 a. m. Morning Service.
Hymn, "Jesus Shall Reign."
Prayer, Rev. C. W. Tarr.
Anthem, "Praise Waiteth for Thee," Choir.
Psalm.
Scripture Lesson.
Offertory Solo, "Abide with Me," - Hoffman.
Mrs. Nuzum.
Sermon, Rev. C. L. Libby, D. D.
Hymn, "O for a Heart to Praise."
Benediction.
- 12:15 p. m. Basket Lunch in the old Church building. The ladies of the Church furnishing hot coffee, etc.
- 2:00 p. m. Love Feast and Class Meeting.
- 2:30 p. m. Praise Meeting and Song Service.
- 3:00 p. m. Afternoon Service.
"Wake the Song of Jubilee," Choir.
Hymn, "Oh for a Thousand Tongues to Sing."
Prayer, Dr. S. A. Thomson, Presiding Elder.
Anthem, "How Lovely is Zion," - Ogden.
Choir.
Solo, "Come Holy Spirit," - Dudley Buck.
Mr. E. Sproutte.
Sermon, Dr. Eli McClish, Ph.D., formerly President of the University of the Pacific.
Reception of Offerings.
Laying of the Corner Stone.
- 7:30 p. m. Epworth League Service.

Before the old corner stone is relaid the box it contained will be opened, and its interesting memories of the early history of the Church exhibited.

CHILDRENS' DAY

A crowded congregation witnessed the Children's Day exercises of the Presbyterian Church in the Woman's Club House.

Each number was well rendered according to the program given in last week's Argus, not the least interesting numbers being by the little tots. It speaks well for the phenomenal growth of this church started only eighteen months ago, that one number was rendered by fourteen boys.

Miss Peters, who leaves us for an appointment in the Los Angeles City schools, sang a pleasing solo in the Episcopal church on Sunday morning. Mr. John Lough goes to the northern part of the state this week. The "reason why" will appear in a later issue.

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